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## GRIMSBY BLOOD IN SICILY WITH ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

Next Blood Clinic Will be Held in Trinity Hall on Wednesday Afternoon Next — 125 Donations Will be Taken.

### DONORS WANTED

Smithville And Beamsville Are Sending Their Quota of Donors — Dr. J. H. Leeds Will Assist—Will Send Out Notices.

When the Canadians landed in Sicily they lacked little for their immediate care and treatment if wounded in action. Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps units which accompanied the combatants carried with them large supplies of blood plasma from countless donors across the Dominion, according to a cable received at the Red Cross headquarters from Maj. Gen. C. B. Price, overseas commissioner.

Blood donors at the second Grimsby Blood Clinic, on Wednesday afternoon next, will be augmented by men and women from Smithville and Beamsville.

Thirty-one men and women from the southern district will be in attendance and at the present time it is just not known how many donors will be contributed by Beamsville, but it is expected that it will be in the neighbourhood of 40. The balance of the donors, up to 125 will be supplied by Grimsby.

The clinic will be held in Trinity hall which will again be outfitted as a temporary hospital by the Metal Craft Co.

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## County Council Hear Resolutions

No Less Than Six Read at Tuesday Morning Session Grantham Asks For Easement For Sewer Project.

Lincoln county council Tuesday morning considered the request of Grantham township for an easement granting permission for the township to route its proposed sewer outlet through the property of the Lincoln County Home. Council heard Township Engineer D. G. Ure outline the proposed plan of the \$70,000 project. The councilors seemed favorable to granting the easement.

A number of resolutions from other county councils were presented for endorsement. Elgin county wanted the federal government to "freeze" farm labor. Wentworth county protested against the amount of sugar allowed for canning purposes, claiming the amount is too small. York county felt that the Wartime Prices and Trade Board should raise the ceiling on farmers' produce in keeping with the cost of production so that the farmer would be in a better position to pay wages equal to those in the industry in order to get sufficient farm help.

Grey county felt that the National Selective Service should be

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## Federal Leader



JOHN BRACKEN  
Progressive-Conservative Leader  
in the Dominion.

## Special Sitting Revising Officer

A special sitting of a Revising Officer, for the Electoral District of Lincoln, will be held in the Council Chambers, Beamsville, on Saturday, July 24th.

This Revising Officer will receive applications to add the names of Extra-Active Service Voters and for the consideration of applications from Voters holding appointments as Proxies to be added to the Voters' List. Appointments as Proxies must be presented for certification by Revising Officer.

The Sitting in Beamsville is for the municipalities of Grimsby Town, North Grimsby Township, Clinton Township and Beamsville Village.

## Bishop of Paton Street

Burton Wilbert Graham



### Appreciates Work Of The Red Cross

Stranger to Grimsby, Soldier Overseas Writes About Ride in Grimsby Red Cross Ambulance — Thinks Women Doing Great Work.

Mrs. W. H. Groce, Maple Ave. last week was in receipt of a letter from overseas, which we are passing on to you, as we believe that its contents will be of more than passing interest, especially to the ladies.

No. 17, Canadian Gen. Hosp., June 15, 1943.

Dear Mrs. Groce:

I wrote you a letter a long time ago and up to date I have never received a reply. Don't know whether Hitler caught up with my letter or yours but anyway I am going to try again. As you will see I am at present a patient in hospital. On the mend now, but I was quite ill for some time with acute bronchitis, and have an odd thing to tell you.

Our M.O. phoned to No. 17 Hospital for an ambulance as I was a stretcher case. Imagine my surprise to read a plate on the side of the vehicle saying it was given to

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## Water Pumping Is On The Increase

Jumped 70 Per Cent in June Over Last Year — System Being Closely Checked For Leaks.

Despite the fact that water pumped by Grimsby Waterworks System in June this year was 5,051,000 gallons more than the amount pumped in the same month in 1942, power costs only increased \$23.54.

The increased water pumping is to some extent a mystery to the Water Commission. It is definitely known that the water is not being consumed by the citizens, yet there was close to 70 per cent more water pumped in June this year than in June last year. The records show that in June 1942 only 7,115,000 gallons were pumped as against 12,166,000 this year, which is an increased average per day of 168,367. The average per day this year has been 405,533. Biggest day, June 26th, 567,000 gallons. Smallest — 285,000 gals.

In 1942 the Township of North Grimsby consumed 980,000 gallons in June. This year the township took 1,011,000 gallons, an increase of 31,000 gallons.

Power costs in June of 1942 were \$118.11. In May 1943, \$133.93 and in June \$141.65.

Commission have been checking the system and have found at least two bad leaks and there may be more found by the time they cover the whole system. This they believe may be the cause of the increased pumping.

The question of installing an electrically operated indicator on the reservoir, connected with the pump house was discussed. It was estimated that such an arrangement would cost in the neighborhood of \$700.

The sum of \$1,500 was turned over to the town on July 15th. Accounts to the amount of \$475.50 were passed.

On the occasion of the election and eventual consecration of a member of the hierarchy, irrespective of denomination, there is usually an investiture of the newly consecrated with all the sacred and ancient vestments that are the proper raiment of a Bishop. However, circumstances sometimes arise—as they have in the present situation where one who has aspirations for a new dignity assumes the same without any of the ancient liturgy and declares himself as a self-styled Bishop. All things are open to debate and in view of the fact that the subject of this little article has been seen parading around the confines of his diocese with the red skullcap indicative of his new and high office—may be in reality due to the fact that tonsorial growth is rapidly thinning and cold winds blow alike on the skull of the commoner and the bourgeois. However, the former genial host of the Village Inn, now conducting an episcopal visitation of his diocese, within the ramifications of Paton St., wears his dignity well and is accomplishing a great deal of good.

In the above photo, the quasi-ecclesiastical gentleman is seen in characteristic pose, sitting on his portable grandstand, watching a ball game. It's the last of the ninth. The score is tie. The home team is at bat. There are two gone. The visiting pitcher has two and three on the batter. It's an "eroocial" situation. "Red" is just debating what he will do if the batter strikes out. Kill the umpire, beat up the pitcher or run the batter out of town.

Burton Wilbert Graham and his family came to Grimsby in 1925 and up until last December was Mine Host Extraordinary of The Village Inn. Previous to coming to Grimsby he was for many years connected with the largest wholesale staple and dry goods firm in Canada. For years, in the boom days, he travelled Northern Ontario, not with a "pack" but with real trunks. He was a pal of the famous Sandy MacIntyre and the late Sir Harry Cales "away back when".

Has one son and a son-in-law in the R.C.A.F. When not working in the garden or painting some neighbor's house he spends his time getting trimmed up at the rumpus.

## UNUSUAL WEATHER CAUSES LOSS OF 300,000 FRUIT TREES

### Much Salvage In Silent Collector

Old Red Oil Drum at Bull's Store Continues to Gather a Lot of Scrap Material.

The red painted oil drum that has been doing duty as a silent collector of garbage, or the past year, at the corner of Council and Bull's store has been productive the past six months of another nice bunch of salvage to tip the war effort.

From July first to ec. 31st last year a great amount of stuff was thrown into this drum which was turned over to the salvage committee. For the first months of this year the following discarded goods have been gathered in by the Silent Collector.

Six auto tires; 9 bicycle tires; 8 inner tubes; 14 bushel boots; 200 lbs. scrap rubber; four rubber coats; four inner rollers from a washing machine; a quantity of car tires from the U.D.L.; one iron bedstead; and the good work goes on.

Peach And Cherry Trees Are Main Casualties Survey Shows — Injury to Total Peach Tree Population About 15 Per Cent.

### EXCESSIVE COLD

About Five or Six Per Cent of Cherry Trees Have Been Killed — Others Will Die This Fall Unless Precautions Taken.

About 300,000 fruit trees in the Niagara Peninsula have died or are dying because of abnormal weather conditions. Prof. E. F. Palmer, director of the Ontario government's experimental farm at Vineland stated last Saturday.

"The injury to the total peach tree population is about 15 per cent according to our estimates," he said. "This would mean from 250,000 to 300,000 peach trees out of a total peach tree population of two million trees. The only other trees seriously affected are sweet and sour cherries. About five or six per cent of the cherry trees have

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## NIAGARA PACKERS MANAGER IS LOANED TO GOVERNMENT

### Polling Booths In Town, Township

Voting Will be Held From Eight a.m. to Seven p.m.—Check This List And Make Sure Where You Vote.

Polling booths for the election on Wednesday, August 4th, have been designated as follows by A. E. Coombs, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Lincoln.

Polling will be held between the hours of eight a.m. and seven p.m.

#### Grimsby Town

Polling Sub-division No. 98 — North Ward — at No. 10 Ontario street.

Polling Sub-division No. 100, that portion of the town lying south of Main street and east of Mountain street, at Hillier's old store, No. 17 Main street west.

Polling Sub-division No. 101, that portion of the town lying south of Main street and Livingston avenue and west of Mountain street, at Thompson's old garage, 147 Main street west.

#### North Grimsby Township

Polling Sub-division No. 93, that portion of the township lying east of the Grimsby town limits and

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### He's Broke Loose In Another Spot

Big Rushton is Back in The Spotlight — Will Place a Team in "C" Division of Ontario Softball Assn.

Last spring after he had successfully piloted his Juvenile Peach Buds to the finals in the Ontario hockey playdowns, the one and only Clarence Henry Rushton declared to the world at large and Grimsbyites in particular that he was through with all kinds of sport. The Independent said "hooye", that he would be back in the sport highlight before the ball season was over. He is.

Last week the Big Barber placed an entry in the intermediate "C" series of the Ontario Softball Association and with the able assistance of Rev. Father Bernard A. O'Donnell will make a strenuous attempt to bring a ball champion-ship to the Fruit Belt.

The local team will be made up of junior players from Smithville, Beamsville and Grimsby. The first practice was held on Tuesday night and Coach O'Donnell believes that he has the makings of a right smart aggregation of horse hide jugglers.

The Grimsby team has drawn a bye in the "C" division and it will be some time in August before the first playdown game will be staged.

### Hal Cigarettes Queen's Birthday

La. Overseas Consignment of Peach Boys at a Good Time as Nearly All Letters Dated May 24th.

Here's another batch of letters from the boys overseas, received the last few days by "Cammy" Millay.

This last consignment of fags must have reached the boys close to the Queen's Birthday, May 24th, as nearly all the epistles bear that date mark:

I wish to convey through you many thanks for the carton of cigarettes which I just received.

They are a very welcome gift as all smokes are rather high when we purchase them.

The cigarette committee is certainly doing a marvelous job and no doubt all the boys appreciate the effort made to keep them in smokes.

Thanking you again,  
Sgtm. Glenn Pettit.

Once more you have signified in a gift, your constant interest in our welfare. Though we were twice as distant from home, this knowledge would still cheer our hearts and en-

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Earl J. Marsh Will Take Up Duties in Ottawa Immediately With Fresh Fruit And Vegetable Division of W.P. & T.B.

### IS ONLY ON LOAN

Local Company Will Operate With Jas. A. Aitchison, as Acting Manager—Efficient Staff Will Carry On As Usual.

Earl J. Marsh, General Manager of Niagara Packers Limited, is leaving this week end for Ottawa, where he will be connected with the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Division of the Administrator of Natural Products, of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

Mr. Marsh is not in any way severing his connection with Niagara Packers, but is being loaned by that firm, at the request of the government to the W.P. & T.B. to handle the Fresh Fruit and Vege-



EARL J. MARSH

table Division. This means that he will have more or less direct control over all Canadian and American grown fruits and vegetables to go on to the Canadian market

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## Two Life Guards Are Doing Duty

One at Foot of Nelles Road And One at Grimsby Beach — Youngsters Prefer Nelles Road Swimming Spot.

Attention is drawn to the fact that while the Lions Club have removed the bathing houses from the foot of Nelles Road, to Grimsby Beach, bathing is still continuing at the Nelles Road beach.

Town youngsters much prefer the Nelles beach and as a consequence the Lions Club Life Guard, Miss Virginia Hewson is on duty at this beach every afternoon and evening.

There is also a lady life guard at Grimsby Beach and the two guards alternate between the two swimming spots. Lions Club are paying a portion of the cost of the Grimsby Beach guard.

### Ontario Leader



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**Facts And Fancies**

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

(In this and all other editorials that you read in this paper, henceforth, the word Progressive will be omitted when speaking of or referring to the Progressive-Conservative Party. The name is too long in the first place and space and newsprint are too precious to waste in superlative titles.)

**CHARLES TODD DALEY—CONSERVATIVE CANDIDATE**

I believe that the Conservative party of Lincoln made a ten-strike last week when they nominated Charles Todd Daley, five times Mayor of the City of St. Catharines, as their candidate for the Ontario election.

On the platform Mr. Daley shaped up as a right, smart, level-headed, cool businessman. He has a nice personality, good appearance and while not an orator of the Sir Wilfrid Laurier type, he is a good platform speaker. A speaker, that I believe would be more effective in debate or cross-fire on the floor of the House, than from a platform.

As to his business acumen, his record in St. Catharines City Council speaks for itself. When he became Mayor in 1938 the financial position of the City was very similar to Grimsby's position at that time. Plenty of debenture debt, other debt, and much cleaning to be done.

During the past five years Todd Daley has done for the City of St. Catharines just exactly what Mayor Johnson has done for Grimsby. Put it on its feet. Today St. Catharines is in an enviable position, financially, among the smaller cities of the Dominion, just as Grimsby is the envy of all small towns of the country.

An example of this is found in the fact that last week the City offered for sale \$40,092 worth of debentures, at three per cent interest. The debentures were sold at a premium of \$1,054, or for \$41,146. This reduced the interest charges down to two and one-half per cent.

When debentures can be sold at that rate, particularly in war time, then the City must be in excellent financial shape and must be well governed.

Todd Daley is the man that put St. Catharines in that healthy condition and it stands to reason that he should be an ideal man to look after the interests of the ratepayers of Lincoln county in the provincial house. We have had too few men of the type of Todd Daley in Toronto in the past 15 years, of any political stripe.

Now that we have the chance to place a real man there to look after our interests, DO NOT LET US FAIL.

**WATERING TROUGHS**

News items tell us that country towns are fixing up the old granite, metal, and wooden watering troughs.

Less than half a century ago, a watering trough was taken for granted at the edge of the village common, or in front of the general store.

The work teams and the driving horses knew that they would stop at the trough in hot weather. Forty years ago many towns began to feel the urge toward modernity and installed metal troughs. They were made of various shapes, some with little statues and intricate embellishments.

The genuine, country watering trough was made of heavy oak planks. It was dark and stained with age: thick, green moss covered the outside. Inside, around the edges and at the bottom there were waving aquatic

growths. But the water was cold, pure, and clear.

On a hot day the horses blew and snorted with pleasure as they plunged their heads deeply into it. Most of the time there was a mud puddle before the trough, but this was good for the horses' hooves in midsummer.

Occasionally small boys put minnows and frogs in the trough, and even turtles were known to live contentedly there. It's still a solid world while men are planning stratospheric liners and rehabilitating water-tight troughs.

**PITCHING HAY**

The New York Sun quotes a despatch from Switzerland, which reports that the prefect of Strasbourg has ordered all resident officials to assist in hay-making. It goes or so say that Army officers, among them several colonels, have complied. This may be so, but to anybody who really knows much about hay-pitching it sounds phony.

It is possible to conceive of a colonel—fortified with palm-leaf fan and a seidel of beer—sitting under a shade tree and watching a buck private at this most arduous of agricultural tasks, but any colonel who is a colonel at heart would surely forfeit his insignia before doing it himself.

Pitching hay is no job for a novice. The fields are sweet and fragrant in the morning, but by the time the dew is off and fallen grass can safely be harvested, sweetness and fragrance will have vanished.

The first forkful seems to weigh about ten pounds; the second about thirty, the third about ninety, the fourth about a ton. By 10 o'clock you have sweat in your eyes, hayseed down your back, blister on your hands.

Tepid water from a keg is as nectar to your throat. By noon you have lost all further interest in agriculture. At 1 o'clock it would take an order from no person of less than a colonel's authority to get you back on the job. Colonels ordering themselves back? Let Strasbourg tell that to the Marines!

**GOOD NEIGHBOURS**

People are often told that they should be good neighbours, and behave in a neighbourly manner. What constitutes a good neighbour?

In the old fashioned town of many years ago, the good neighbour was apt to be one who helped you when you were sick or in bed, and who was full of kind attentions.

While kindness is still valued, the quality that people seem to appreciate most now is the disposition to keep one's home place in nice condition, and make it a credit and ornament to the street.

A person may be very kind hearted, but if he lets his place run down and look disorderly, the people will not be so enthusiastic about him.

When he fixes it up and repairs and cleans up disorder, and when he develops its beauty as spring and summer come, then the people smile when they see him, and are mighty glad that he lives on their street.

**A GENTLE ART**

The hoe is a humble instrument of the husbandman. When it comes from the store its blade is shiny and the handle bright, clean wood. In a few brief days it becomes weather-worn and friendly and takes its place with the rakes, shovels, forks, and turf-edger in a corner of the shed or garage.

Many a man feels an affection for his tools, and to him who knows the joy of hoeing, a good hoe holds an important place in the scheme of things.

Hoeing is a gentle art—provided, of course, the soil is in reasonably good condition and the weeds not too large nor too numerous. But then, he who practices the art sees to it that the conditions are satisfactory.

One can think and plan, as he hoes. It is not unduly vigorous exercise if one keeps his instrument's edge sharp and the blade free from rust. There's a sense of rhythmic relaxation as one hitches slowly along between the rows. There's companionship with growing things, with birds, and the white clouds sailing across the blue sea above.

As one stirs the soil's surface and leaves its crumbly, soft, and level he feels a kinship with the growing life about him. Hoeing well is a gentle art and a satisfying one. And always one knows the art will be practiced again for weeds will grow and the earth's crust will need softening.

**SHAKESPEARE**

The power WROTE ABOUT IT achieving great suggestion is capable of way, sometimes lines, sometimes in a subtle The following is a more direct approach.

**ONTARIO SUBSIDY ON WESTERN FEED GRAIN**

ONTARIO farmers will need at least 75,000,000 bushels of Western grain to feed the huge livestock and poultry population through the 1943-44 feeding season.

To prevent railway congestion next winter, to compensate for interest on investment, and to encourage immediate purchase and storage of Western grain on Ontario farms, the Ontario Department of Agriculture will pay the following subsidy on confirmed orders for immediate delivery of 5 tons or more, completed between May 15 and December 31, 1943:

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| May 15-August 31  | \$1.80 per ton |
| September         | 1.20 per ton   |
| October           | .90 per ton    |
| November-December | .60 per ton    |

Purchase Western Grains Now, and Ensure a Plentiful Supply for Next Winter!

ONTARIO DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

W. R. REEK, DEPUTY MINISTER



time for is anything that don't do what it's told," he remarked. "Better get out back there and push."

She did, briskly.

**A REAL PATRIOT**

A Toronto daily recently carried this classified advertisement:

"Wanted—parlor maid, four in family, three maids kept, apply to Employment and Selective Service. Refer to File—."

No doubt this super-patriot employer is one of those individuals who mounts the public platform and calls on his fellow citizens to make a greater effort to win the war.

You can almost hear him saying: "we must make more sacrifices, we must give till it hurts, we must do with less, we must cut out all the frills and luxuries until Victory is won."

Proud of his effort he probably had a liveried chauffeur drive him home and then donned his dress clothes to help the gardener with the victory garden, and then as the shadows faded in the western sky, he retired with a feeling of satisfaction that there is no labor shortage in Canada.

And don't you see men, and women too, of this sort—those who talk about the terrible war and then crowd it out with their own pleasures.

Now is the time for all men who were born equal to show what they're equal to.

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Security and privacy are two fundamentals which the Canadian people have always demanded of their banks. They maintain more than 4,350,000 deposit accounts, knowing that their money is available when they want it. In thousands of daily contacts with bank managers and staffs, they know that their private affairs will be held strictly confidential.

In every sense of the word, the banks are servants of the people. Lord Macmillan wrote in the Royal Commission report of 1933: "The mechanism of finance is a delicate one; the confidence upon which it is based is a slow growth, but it may be destroyed over-night, and those to whom is entrusted responsibility for the welfare of the people must proceed with caution in the adoption of changes."

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## LEFTOVERS TRANSFORMED



Last night's leftover roast makes tonight's "Magic" Meat Rolls

2 lbs. soft butter  
1 cup choice leftover meat  
2 lbs. the chopped onions  
2 cups flour  
4 tbs. Magic Baking Powder  
3/4 tbs. salt  
4 lbs. shortening  
1/2 cup milk, or half milk and water  
Mix meat, onion, butter. Soft together dry ingredients, mix in shortening; add liquid to make soft dough. Turn on floured board; knead lightly. Roll 1/8 inch thick, spread with meat mixture. Roll like jelly roll, cut in slices. Bake on baking sheet in hot oven (475°F.) for about 14 minutes. Serve with tomato sauce.

Made in Canada



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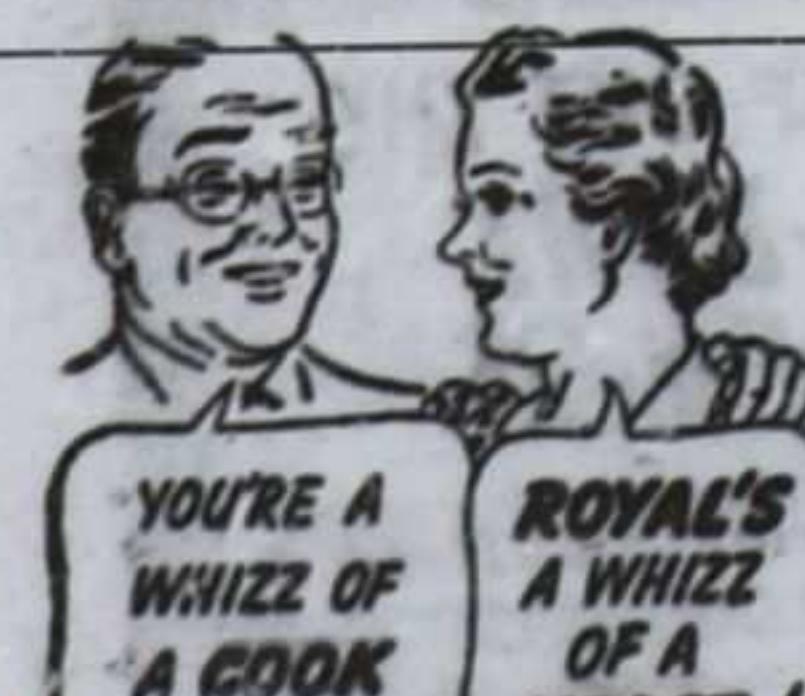
## Mother's Little Helper

When you find yourself facing one of those extra busy days with a whole slew of little jobs that must be got through before the day ends, here's a solution:

Take a pencil and a pad and make a list of them. Then fit them in between your routine jobs, dish-washing, bedmaking, cleaning etc. Cross each one off as it is completed, and you will be amazed at the headway you make.

This is an excellent plan for the muddle-minded woman (or man) to follow. It keeps them to the line, and is a great incentive to getting things done methodically and on time.

Just a scratch pad and a pencil. If it's your lucky day you can get the two for five cents, and the investment pays huge profits.



MAKES GORGEOUS TASTY BREAD — NO COARSE HOLES, NO DOUGHY LUMPS



Airtight wrapper protects strength and purity  
ALWAYS DEPENDABLE!

## Continuations From Page One

### HAD CIGARETTES

liven our enthusiasm for the coming events of a second front. For your kind thought and generous gift, we give sincere thanks.

Gratefully,  
G. Taylor-Munro.

Once again I received cigarettes from you, thereby thanking you for the work you are doing for us over here.

Your truly,  
Mac.

Once again my deepest thanks for your gift of cigarettes. They sure are swell!

Sincerely,  
S. E. Martin.

Many thanks for the cigarettes. They are appreciated very much over here. Your doing a grand job. Keep it up.

Sgt. Roy Hurst.

Once again—Thanks a million. I have just received your last shipment of smokes. Need I say how welcome they are.

It is heartening to know that the folks 'back home' still remember us and remind us of that fact in such a practical way.

I know that all Grimsby boys will always remember the comfort your gifts of cigarettes are giving them.

In appreciation, sincerely yours,  
A. Mahady.

The cigarettes were greatly appreciated. Many thanks.

Yours sincerely,  
Gnr. Beaudette.

Once again I am on the receiving end of a package of your cigarettes, for which I want to thank you very much.

I am now up in the northern part of England on a course, these courses sure toughen a fellow up. I don't know whether they are trying to make a commando out of me or a blacksmith. I am in an English army camp and when they say "Right Turn," in this place that is exactly what they mean.

Thinking you again for the cigarettes. I am, as ever,

Norm. Johnson.

Just a line to express my thanks for the smokes which I have just received from you. They sure come in handy these days.

Gnr. A. D. Twcock.

Many thanks for the 300 Birmingham cigarettes of which I received this evening and please extend my thanks to everyone that made it possible. I greatly appreciate your kindness and I'm sure I can't put it in words how pleased and thankful I am to receive them, my only hope is that we all can pull together and finish this miserable war to final victory in 1943, and I'm sure we can, don't you all agree over there?

The Air Force is now paving the way for us to make the final drive and no doubt Hitler is shaking in his shoes and my guess is that Italy is next thing to folding up.

I'm still kept busy building Barracks, Depots and other buildings too numerous to mention, so of course we're kept out of mischief.

We have had grand weather for the last few months although today being the 24th of May it had to rain all day, of course we're quite used to that now.

I must close now thanking you very much for your kindness.

I remain, yours truly,

Alex. Neale.

Just a few lines to let you know that I received my second carton of cigarettes from the Chamber of Commerce on Monday, and to tell you how much I appreciate them.

As you probably know, smokes are rather scarce over here, (and darn expensive to I might add—two shillings for twenty), so you can imagine how pleased the boys in this country are when they receive cigarettes from home.

The Grimsby Chamber of Commerce are doing a swell job, and we boys over here are the ones that realize and appreciate it. So keep up the good work, and once again,

Thanks a lot,

Cpl. Johnny Farrell.

UNUSUAL WEATHER been casualties. This might mean 6,000 casualties."

Prof. Palmer explained that while many trees have already died this year, there are many healthy-looking trees which will die by the end of the season or will be of no further commercial value.

"It is highly probable that we should have to make an upward revision in our figures," he said. "The damage to the trees at trunk level may reach 20 per cent."

Prof. Palmer said that a bulletin

had been sent on Monday from his office to farmers in this district receiving the spray calendar. This news bulletin had explained that the mortality among fruit trees was not due so much to the wet spring as to the excessive wet weather last fall, the very cold weather early in the winter, and the late growing season last year.

The excessive cold combined with the trees' "wet feet" killed the bark on the trunk. Many trees with this injury have leafed out and seem to be healthy so far this season, but experimental farm officials expect many of them to suffer a relapse and die before the end of this season.

Present weather conditions are similar to those last year at this time, and the experimental farm has sent out advice to fruit growers to help them in preventing a recurrence of this year's serious tree mortality. Growing conditions now are good, and the trees continue to grow late into the season, instead of stopping their growth at

the normal time. This habit of continuing to grow late into the season will make the trees liable to injury again late this fall unless the department's advice on cultivation, cover crops, etc., is carried out, said Prof. Palmer.

A Hamilton despatch on Friday announced that nursery stock in this district is so short that it is unlikely that sufficient young trees will be available to replace all those killed this year. Ellis Corran, M.P. for Wentworth, announced that the federal government might consider removing the duty on American nursery stock to meet the demands of Niagara District fruit growers.

### SAVE FEATHERS, FARMERS ASKED

Poultry producers throughout the Dominion are being asked by the Prices Board to save all the feathers and down from chickens, turkeys, geese and ducks in order to add to available supplies. It is estimated that 200,000 lbs. of

feathers and down are needed by the armed forces and in construction camps for use in bedding, pillows, etc. It is thus ordered that if a poultry producer gets more than 25 pounds of feathers from his poultry, he is not to destroy it without permission from the pro-

per Board authority. All of it must be saved, because it is badly needed.

Of the 700 people making tank landing-craft at a Scottish shipyard, two-thirds are women.

## TAKE NOTICE

### To The Fruit Growers:

We are in the market for a full line of fruit of all kinds for canning and jam purposes. Good prices for small or large quantities. Peaches, Plums and Pears; Cherries, white, black and Morello; Gooseberries; Red Currants; Black Currants; and Raspberries of any kind. Anyone interested may telephone 44, write P.O. Box 536 or call at our office Robinson St., North.

### CANADIAN CANNERS LIMITED

(ED. TODD, Local Mgr.)

# DREW 22-POINT PROGRAM BACKED BY HOUSE RECORDS

## Constructive Proposals In Public Interest

**Speaking over the C.B.C. network Friday night July 16th, Leslie M. Frost, M.P.P. for Victoria and Haliburton, one of the outstanding Progressive Conservative members in the Ontario legislature, announced the 22-point program recently enunciated by George Drew, Leader of the Progressive Conservative Party, was the product of extended consultation with his followers; and that it was unanimously adopted at a largely attended meeting of party candidates and officials from all over Ontario held at the Royal York Hotel on Saturday, July 3rd.**

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## The Press Endorses Progressive Conservative Platform

### BREW PLANS A DYNAMIC ONTARIO

(Peterborough Examiner, Peterborough, Ont.)

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Thursday, July 22nd, 1943.

## THE GRIMSBY INDEPENDENT

## 'THE LITTLE SHOEMAKER'

...SAYS...

New Boots And Shoes Are  
Going to be Scarce  
Until the

## WAR IS OVER

Therefore Preserve the  
ones you have by keeping  
them in a good state of

## REPAIR

Bring in that Bicycle for  
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StoreFun For Leisure  
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## Women's Institute

The committee on agriculture  
was in charge of the August meeting  
of Grimsby Women's Institute,  
which met at the home of Mrs.  
Wm. Sangster, Elizabeth Street, on  
Tuesday evening.Mrs. Andrew Stevenson led the  
discussion on the proper methods  
of planting Gladiolus bulb, treating  
for thrips, storage of bulbs in  
winter, and care of the plants  
while growing so as to obtain the  
best results.At their fall meetings members  
will bring seeds and slips for ex-  
change.The Institute urges upon all its  
members the necessity for inform-  
ing themselves thoroughly upon  
the issues of the coming election  
by listening to radio broadcasts,  
reading election articles in their  
newspapers, and by discussion, so  
they may be ready to cast an in-  
telligent and honest vote on  
August 4th.The next regular meeting of the  
Institute will be held at the home  
of Mrs. Roy St. John, Robinson St.  
South.

## I.O. D.E.

## WARTIME HOME HOSPITALITY

Sgt.-Pilots James Gribbons and  
Ronald Turner were weekend  
guests of Mrs. Andrew Stevenson,  
Oak street.Sgt.-Pilot Jack Leonard was a  
guest of Mrs. Geo. Honey, Murray  
street, over the weekend.  
L.A.C. Bob Bulman was entertain-  
ed by Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bromley,  
Main West.Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers,  
Ken Street, entertained L.A.C.  
Ken Lilly.Corp. Arnold Exley and L.A.C.  
Arnold Brown, were guests of Mr.  
and Mrs. James A. Baker.All the above were from Mount  
Hope.

## Nuptials

## WELLS—THEAL

In Trinity United Church,  
Grimsby, on Saturday afternoon,  
at 4 o'clock, the wedding was  
solemnized, of Betty Eileen, daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. James I. Theal,  
Grimsby, to L.A.C. William L. Well,  
Guelph, son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Charles W. Wells, Palmerston. Rev.  
W. J. Watt conducted the marriage  
ceremony.Mr. Kenneth Baxter played the  
wedding music, and Mrs. J. S.  
Shields sang "Still as the Night",  
and "Through the Years". The  
church was decorated with baskets  
and tall standards of pink roses,  
delphinium and Shasta daisies.The bride was given in marriage  
by her father. She wore a white  
gown, cut on princess lines, with  
white lace bodice and full point  
desprit skirt. Her three-quarter  
length veil of tulle was held in  
place with white flowers, and she  
carried a bouquet of white gladioli,  
bouvardia, and blue delphiniums.Her attendant, Miss Jan Walters,  
of Toronto, wore heavenly blue  
point desprit, with shoulder veil of  
tulle, held with pink flowers,  
matching her bouquet of Rapture  
roses and sweet peas.The best man was William Har-  
ley of Welland, cousin of the  
groom.Mr. Lloyd Theal, Grimsby cousin  
of the bride, and Mr. John Wells,  
Palmerston, brother of the groom,  
were ushers.A reception was held at the  
home of the bride, for 60 guests,  
the bride's mother receiving in a  
two piece black and white suit,  
with white hat, and white accessories.  
She was assisted by the  
mother of the groom, who wore a  
dress of navy sheer, with navy  
white hat and accessories, and cor-  
sage of pink sweet peas and sweet-  
heart roses.The couple left on a wedding trip  
to Manitoulin Island, the bride  
wearing a navy sheer two-piece  
dress with white hat and white  
accessories. On their return they  
will reside in Guelph.KNOW YOUR COUPONS  
CONSUMERS URGEDBearing in mind the fact that  
retail clerks employed in retail  
establishments often operate under  
severe strain, the Ration Adminis-  
tration urges consumers, wherever  
possible, to familiarize themselves  
with the value of the different  
coupons in their ration  
books, the number of valid coupons  
remaining in them, the dates of  
validity and similar information  
so that the lots of these hard-working  
shop assistants may be eased.

## BREVITIES

EVENTS and TOPICS  
of the WEEK in  
TABLOID

August 2nd is Civic Holiday.

It's a three cornered fight in  
Lincoln.Next Wednesday is Blood Donor  
Day in Grimsby.Hydro Commission meets next  
Tuesday afternoon.Voting hours in the forthcoming  
election are 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.A. E. Coombs, St. Catharines, is  
Returning Officer for Lincoln.St. Joseph's Parish Garden Party  
will this year be held on Friday  
and Saturday, August 27 and 28.Another new house on Robinson  
street south. Howie Ferris is tak-  
ing out the foundation for a new  
home to be erected by Wm. and  
Mrs. Layton. 29 Mill tax rate pays  
dividends.Russell T. Kelley, Advertising  
executive, of Hamilton, and popularly  
known throughout the Fruit  
Belt, is the Progressive-Conservative  
candidate in Hamilton-Went-  
worth, opposing T. B. McQuesten.  
Here's luck to you, Kelley.Walter West is making extensive  
alterations to his house on Ade-  
laide street, recently vacated by  
Robert C. Bourne and family.  
When finished Walter and Mrs.  
West will occupy it themselves,  
renting their Main street apart-  
ment.Back in the old days, when  
Warden Charles Durham was con-  
sidered the crack bicycle racer of  
the Fruit Belt, if a man rode a bi-  
cycle down Main street, as fast as  
Water Commission Herb Lind-  
smith came down Anderson's Hill  
on Saturday morning, Gus Cole,  
the Village Cop, would have taken  
him in for "scorching on the King's  
Highway."While fishing off the pump house  
pier one night last week Mike  
Sweet thought that he had hooked  
a whale. After 10 minute battle  
he finally landed the monster and  
it proved to be an eel measuring 32  
inches in length and seven inches  
in diameter and weighing three  
pounds. This is about as big an eel  
as has ever been pulled out of the  
lake at this point.Thieves were busy in the Beams-  
ville district Sunday night. A car,  
owned by Pte. Murray Van Every,  
was stolen from the garage at the  
home of his parents, and later  
found by Provincial Constable Hart  
at Grimsby Beach. A safe was  
carted away from the office of the  
Niagara Packers near the C.N.R.station and found later Monday  
morning on a back country road  
minus its contents, which included  
cancelled checks and a gasoline  
ration book. The section foreman's  
toolshed was broken into and tools  
taken to open the safe. These were  
also recovered with the safe.MOORE'S  
THEATRE

FRI. - SAT., JULY 23 - 24

The Moon Is  
DownSir Cedric Hardwicke, Henry  
TraversThought For Food  
"Merrie Melodie"

MON. - TUES., JULY 26-27

The More The  
Merrier

Jean Arthur, Joel McCrea

## "Wolf Chases Pig"

WED.-THUR., JULY 28-29

## High Explosives

Chester Morris, Jean Parker

## "Fox Movietone News"

## "Moments Of Charm"

## "At The Bird Farm"

## "Lieutenant Smith"

Boy St. John has quit taking  
chances on his life, riding in his  
partner's "tin can on four spools"  
automobile and now rides a bicycle.  
It's a femme wheel at that.Chief of Police W. W. Turner  
claims he has the record breaking  
chicken flock of the district. He  
has four freshly hatched pullets that  
are laying every day. Who's next?The death occurred in Hamilton  
hospital on Monday morning of  
John Leonard Eames, five and a  
half year old son of Leonard C. and  
Mrs. Eames, Hamilton and Grims-  
by Beach.Revising Officers of the Lincoln  
Electoral District report that to  
date they have had practically no  
soldier proxies presented to them  
for certification and entry upon the  
voters' list.A public meeting in the interests  
of Allen Schroeder, C.C.F. candidate  
for Lincoln, will be held in the  
Community hall, Beamsville, next  
Thursday night, July 29th, at nine  
o'clock. The chief speaker will be  
Prof. Geo. Grube, Toronto, C.C.F.  
Vice-president.Ninety-seven years ago this year  
the first telegraph message in Can-  
ada was sent from Toronto to St.  
Catharines. It was on December  
19th, 1846, that the Toronto, Ham-  
ilton and Niagara Electro-Magnetic  
Telegraph Co., sent its first com-  
mercial message from a Toronto  
grain merchant to a firm in St.  
Catharines.Two bands of the Canadian Wo-  
men's Army Corps, a brass band  
from Calgary numbering 28, and a  
pipe band from Ottawa in which  
there are 14, will play at different  
points in the Niagara District the  
latter part of this month. National  
Defence Headquarters, Ottawa, has  
announced. They are believed to  
be the only all-women brass band  
on active service in the British  
Empire.Taylor's Autotel, at the top of  
the Thirty Hill, the nicest spot be-  
tween Niagara Falls and Toronto,  
to dine and dance is being opened  
again to the public. This fine coun-  
tryside restaurant, with its excel-  
lent cuisine has been closed to the  
public since last fall, but re-opens  
again on Friday night, July 23rd.  
Fish, steak and chicken dinners  
will be featured. The deluxe cabins  
are also being opened for tourists.Burlington's town council went  
on record at its regular meeting on  
Friday evening last, as favoring  
the rebate to municipalities by the  
provincial government of a propor-  
tion of the gasoline tax collected  
in ratio to the gallonage sold in a  
municipality. A resolution to this  
effect was passed by the council,  
and it will be forwarded to the pro-  
vincial government, as well as all  
municipalities for their endorse-  
ment.Officials of the St. Catharines and  
Lincoln County Game and Fish  
Protective Association announced  
Tuesday that 1,800 brown trout  
were released in the Epping and St.  
John streams last week. The fish were  
brought here by men of the Ontario  
Department of Game and Fish. The trout were  
all of good size and once that  
they have become acclimated in  
their new habitat, they should prove  
keen game for the fishermen of  
the district.One of the Major Steps is  
The Work Being Done by  
Lincoln Children's Aid Society.One of the major steps to counteract  
and stem juvenile delinquency is  
the work being done by the Children's Aid Society of St.  
Catharines and Lincoln County toward  
children who have shown certain  
signs of becoming delinquent.A survey of the work shows that  
at present the society is actively  
engaged in assisting youngsters  
from 8 to 12 years of age. Seven  
boys and one girl are now under  
the supervision of the Society,  
which is taking steps to give them  
a training designed to foster the  
good habits of proper citizenship.Most of those admitted to the  
care of the society are the products  
of broker homes, where, through  
one cause or another, the child is  
left to make his own way. As a  
consequence of this condition, these  
children soon wander into bad  
habits, petty thievery and companion-  
ship ill-suited to their proper rear-  
ing.All of the children in this category  
are made wards of the Society.  
After studying the individual's case,  
a board meeting decides the right  
cure, always, of course, in the  
interests of the child. While  
the work of the Society receivedlittle notoriety, it has been instru-  
mental in saving many children  
from growing into criminal ways  
of conduct.There are some men blind to the  
little beauties of life, says a writer.  
But most men will always risk one  
eye at a little beauty.In Great Britain, 85,000 women  
have taken the place of men on the  
railways, and are working as porters,  
ticket collectors, carriage  
cleaners, drivers, labourers, signal  
and telegraph operators."The Biggest Little Jewellery  
Store in The Fruit Belt"Watch Clock And  
Jewellery RepairsBULOVA, ELGIN, ELCO  
WATCHESE. A. Buckenham  
12 Main St. E. GrimsbyC. C. F.  
MEETING  
Community Hall, Beamsville  
Thurs., July 29  
9:00 P.M.  
— CHIEF SPEAKER —  
Professor George GrubeFirst Vice-President of C.C.F. and Member Toronto  
Board of Education.ALLEN SCHROEDER, C.C.F. Candidate for Lincoln  
will address the meeting.

Mrs. Katool, Secretary.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Two cents a word per insertion. Minimum charge each insertion  
25 cents. Cash must accompany advertisement to guarantee inser-  
tion. A charge of ten cents is made for boxes.

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE — Young pigs. Morris  
Udell, Phone 50-W-2. 1-3pFOR SALE — Horse and fruit  
wagon. Apply Box 411, Grimsby  
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used by Red Cross. Phone 57 or  
527. 2-2cFOR SALE — Cabinet Battery  
Radio, 6-tube, almost new. Apply  
18 Depot St., Grimsby. 2-1pFOR SALE — Steel garage. \$75.00;  
Brooder house, 11x12 ft. \$48.00.  
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NATIONAL SELECTIVE SERVICE

## Fourth Compulsory Employment Transfer Order

*A Direction to Specified Employers  
and Employees*

This Order applies to any young man who is 16, 17 or 18 years of age, and who is working at any one of the employments specified in this notice. It is also directed to the present employers of these young men.

**A. Objective:**

The Order provides for the transfer of the young men affected to work which is of more importance to Canada's war effort. Transfers will be made after taking into account the health and domestic circumstances of these young men.

**B. YOUNG MEN WHO ARE AFFECTED:**

Every young man who is in any one of the employments specified, who has reached his 16th birthday but has not reached his 19th birthday, is covered by this Order.

**C. EMPLOYMENTS SPECIFIED IN THE ORDER:**

This Order applies to the young men described above if now employed in any of these occupations:

(1) Any occupation in or associated with the following: (a) barber shops and beauty parlours; (b) distilling alcohol for beverage; (c) drying, cleaning and pressing, laundries, guide service, shoe shining; (d) entertainment, including but not restricted to theatres, film agencies, motion picture companies, clubs, bowling alleys, pool rooms; (e) operation of ice cream parlours and soda fountains; (f) manufacture of feathers, plumes and artificial flowers, chewing gum, wine, lace goods, greeting cards, jewellery; (g) retail stores; (h) factory production of stationary and art goods; (i) retail and wholesale florists; (j) retail sale of confectionery, candy, tobacco, books, stationery, news; (k) retail sale of motor vehicles or accessories; (l) retail sale of sporting goods or musical instruments; (m) service stations (gasoline-filling stations); (n) taverns, liquor, wine and beer stores.

(2) Bus boy; charman and cleaner; custom furrier; dancing teacher; dish washer; domestic servant; doorman and stoker; elevator operator; greens keeper; grounds keeper; hotel bell boy; waiter (other than in railway train service); private chauffeur; taxi driver; waiter.

**D. How the Order affects Young Men still attending School:**

Young men in the age groups mentioned, now employed, will not be interfered with insofar as returning to school at the opening of the school session in the Autumn is concerned; but young men in the age groups covered, who are now working during their summer vacation, must comply with this Compulsory Order.

**E. Procedure to be followed:**

All men as defined above must report to an Employment and Selective Service Office not later than July 24th, 1943. Men resident outside a city or town having an Employment and Selective Service Office, who are too far removed to call personally at such an Office, may write to the nearest office in the first instance, and await further directions.

**F. Appeals:**

If directed to transfer to employment subsequent to interview, a man may, if he objects, enter appeal with a Court of Referees, within 7 days of receiving such direction.

**G. Penalties:**

Penalties are provided for employees who retain, or take into their employ, after July 24th, 1943, any man covered by the Order except under special permit. Also, penalties are provided for failure of an employee covered by the Order, to register or follow a subsequent direction to employment.

**H. Authority:**

This Order is issued under authority conferred on the Minister of Labour by National Selective Service Civilian Regulation (P.C. 246 of January 19th, 1943, and amending Orders in Council).

*Employers or employees uncertain of the application of this Order in a particular case are advised to communicate immediately with the nearest Employment and Selective Service Office.*

*Attention is directed to the fact that the Third Compulsory Order, which contains a list of occupations different from the above, also requires certain young men 16, 17 and 18 years of age to report to National Selective Service.*

## DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

HUMPHREY MITCHELL,  
Minister of LabourDirector, National Selective Service  
A. MacNAMARA, DT-4

**SUPPORT THE NAVY LEAGUE**

## Continuations From Page One

**NIAGARA PACKERS**

The local firm will continue to operate under Jas. Aitchison as acting manager and the very efficient staff of the company.

Several weeks ago Mr. Marsh was approached by government officials to take over this work, but declined until such time as he had discussed the matter with his own officials and a suitable and feasible plan of handling the affairs of the Niagara Packers had been arranged.

Considered by growers, dealers and wholesalers throughout the province as one of the cleverest fruit and vegetable men in the country, we believe that W.P. & T.B. officials have shown wisdom in securing the services of Mr. Marsh for this very important position.

**GRIMSBY BLOOD**

Dr. J. H. Leeds of Smithville will assist Drs. Rogers and McEntyre in the work and the nurses will again be under the supervision of Miss Marion Pettit, while the cook kitchen will be in charge of the girls from the White Elephant Shop.

The clinic will be open from 1:15 p.m. until four p.m. Notices will be sent out to all the local donors this week informing them what time their presence will be required at the hall.

As a donor is only allowed to give blood once every three months, months, the Grimsby donors who contributed last month and the month before are prohibited from so doing next week, therefore Grimsby is still shy some donors. If you wish to help a worthy cause and donate your blood, contact Miss Maude Cullingford at Hewson and Son basket factory, Erwin Phelps, K.C. Baxter, Harold Metcatt or R.C. Bourne.

**POLLING BOOTHS**

west of the Clinton township line, at Well's restaurant, Grimsby Beach corner.

Polling Sub-division No. 94, that portion of the township lying west of the Grimsby town limits and east of the Wentworth county line, Hagar's School.

Polling Sub-division No. 95, that portion of the township between concession two and three on the north, the township of South Grimsby on the south, the line between lots 13 and 14 on the east and the township of Saltfleet on the west, at St. Mary's Hall (basement) top of Grimsby Mountain.

Polling Sub-division No. 96, that portion lying between the line between concessions two and three on the north, the Township of South Grimsby on the south, the Township of Clinton on the east and Lot Four on the mountain on the west, at Curtis Miller's residence, Thirty Road.

Polling Sub-division No. 97, that portion between the Town of Grimsby on the north, the Township of South Grimsby on the south, the line between Lots four and five on the east and the line between Lots 13 and 14 on the west, at Alway Stone House, Ridge Road West.

**COUNTY COUNCIL**

extended with appointments of persons who know intimately the problems of agriculture and the management of manufacturing industries, so they could work in close co-operation with the Department of National Defence, visit every farm, office, and factory to equalize the distribution of labor. They also asked that grain be brought from the sun to feed bacon hogs, since the grain was not being used in Ontario. Each grain should be brought freight-free from Port Arthur or Fort William, and should be paid for at prices existing last October 15, they urged.

Grey recommended that each rural municipal council pass a by-law immediately to raise one-fifth of a mill to finance the Federation of Agriculture. This move was instituted some time ago by the Lincoln county council, and has since received the commendation of the provincial government.

Carleton county asked that the minister of agriculture raise the price of cheese from 20 to 22 cents plus bonus.

**APPRECIATES**

the Red Cross by the residents of Grimsby, Ontario. And a nice riding car I never was in.

Realizing you are active in Red Cross work I thought you would be interested in what struck one as being an unusual occurrence. While I am not a Grimsby boy I worked around there so much it was like home to me.

No doubt by times you have heard some criticism of the Red

Cross so I will tell you of my experiences with these people. I asked for a pair of socks and a pull over sweater and within an hour I had them both. I offered to pay for them but was told, No. The women of Canada send these articles over here for the use and comfort of the troops and I for one appreciate the efforts of your good folk back home.

No. 17 Canadian General Hospital is an all French unit. Doctors, nurses, Orderlies are all French and we even have some patients from the Free French Forces here. No. 8 General Hospital is where the sick English spoken boys usually go but as they were full for the time being we are sent here. Trusting Hitler won't stop this letter and all is well with you.

Fred G. Green.

More than 1,800 acres of Romney (East Sussex) marshland — most of which has not been under the plough since the Napoleonic Wars — are today producing tons of grain, potatoes and sugar beet.

The only known control for white pine blister rust is to eradicate currant and gooseberry bushes in the vicinity of the pines, but seedlings of apparently rust-resistant pine species are now being tested.

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To facilitate the fair distribution of coal and coke supplies as they become available, accurate information as to the country's fuel requirements is necessary.

## COMMENCING AT ONCE EVERY USER OF HIGH-GRADE COAL and COKE (ALSO BRIQUETTES)

*Must complete this form for his dealer before he can purchase*

**NOTICE TO CONSUMERS:**

If you agree to take 25% of your coal fuel requirements for the year ending June 1, 1944, in high volatile bituminous coal, you can get delivery of the remaining 75% in Class A fuel. If you do not agree to do this, you can only get delivery of half your requirements of Class A fuel.

- For the purposes of this form "Class A fuel" means anthracite (hard) and (larger than buckwheat), low volatile bituminous coal (excluding run and screenings), briquettes and coke.
- Describe the location and kind of premises for which the Class A fuel is to be delivered.
- Mark by the letter X the kind or kinds of equipment in which the Class A fuel is to be burned:  
— Hot Water or Steam Boiler Furnaces — Hot Air Furnaces — Cooking Stove — Heating Stove — Jacket Heater.
- To the best of your knowledge how much Class A fuel was burned in these premises from June 1, 1942 to June 1, 1943?

Quantity Burned \_\_\_\_\_ Kind Burned \_\_\_\_\_

5. How much Class A fuel is now on hand for use in the premises?  
Quantity on Hand \_\_\_\_\_ Kind on Hand \_\_\_\_\_

6. Have you any uncancelled orders for Class A fuel for these premises with any other coal dealer? (Answer YES or NO).

7. Do you agree to take 25% of your coal fuel requirements for the year ending June 1, 1944 in high volatile bituminous coal? (Answer YES or NO).

I certify that the above statements are true and undertake not to take delivery of more Class A fuel than the quantity authorized by the Coal Controller's Order No. Coal 2.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Consumer \_\_\_\_\_

If you did not use coal during the year ending June 1, 1943, you must give complete information about your heating equipment and size of premises to enable your coal dealer to estimate your need.

**Read these details carefully . . .**

- This Order applies to all persons planning to purchase Class A fuels, namely, anthracite (hard) coal, low volatile bituminous coal, briquettes or coke, for heating any premises in Ontario or Quebec.
- Forms will be available from all dealers in the near future. After completion the form must be left with the dealer from whom you are planning to purchase.
- No delivery of coal will be made to any person who has not sent in a properly completed form, even if the coal was ordered or paid for prior to this regulation.

**EXEMPTIONS — This Order does not apply to:**

- Consumers who use only high volatile bituminous coal.
- Consumers of anthracite coal in the sizes known as buckwheat or smaller; or of low volatile bituminous screenings or run-of-mine coal.
- Consumers of coal and coke used in the business of baking food products.
- Consumers of foundry coke.

**PENALTIES WILL BE INVOKED FOR INFRACTIONS OF THIS ORDER**

**THE DEPARTMENT OF MUNITIONS AND SUPPLY**  
HON. C. D. HOWE, Minister



## HAINES RESIGNED To Protect Your Interests!

### It's To Your Interest To Re-Elect Him

ARCHIE HAINES has demonstrated forcibly that as a Legislature member he represents the public opinion of Lincoln County. He resigned his seat when the opinion of the citizens of Lincoln were at odds with the then premier, Mr. Hepburn. This courageous act not only won Mr. Haines the respect of this entire community, but it provides a basis of comparison between the principles of Mr. Haines and his opponent, Mr. Charles Daley.

At a time when the very principles of democracy were threatened, Mr. Haines resigned his seat in the Ontario legislature in protest. Mr. Daley on the other hand was rebuked editorially by The St. Catharines Standard of Aug. 23, 1941, as follows: "As mayor, he should above all be imbued with the necessity for a cleanup and should have been found behind the man who had the courage of his convictions and resigned his post thus making himself persona grata with the powers that be. In his interview, the mayor said that a strong stand by Mr. Haines in the first place would have stopped the license issue, but the records do not support this charge whatever. Mr. Haines gave his word and he kept it. The criticism of the Mayor for that attitude has even suggested to some that Mayor Daley is inclined on his issue, to run with the hare and hunt with the hounds."

Mr. Hepburn is no longer leader of the Liberal party in Ontario. He has been replaced by Hon. Harry C. Nixon, who with Mr. Haines shares a keen sense of appreciation for Democratic principles. In calling a general election, Mr. Nixon's attitude has been consistent. He resigned the Government last fall because he felt that the Premiership should not be handed about without some expression of the popular will. He waited until his name for leadership of the party was endorsed overwhelmingly by a great convention before he accepted the premiership. His next step was to say that as soon as possible, being the leader of a new Government, he wished to trust the people and to seek their confidence at the polls.

Furthermore, there were ten vacant seats in the Legislature (over 10%). This means that 300,000 Ontario citizens, including the voters of Lincoln County,

had no voice in the government. To call by-elections in those ten seats would have been quite as disturbing as a General Election, and would not have given all of Ontario an opportunity to express their opinion of Mr. Nixon's Government.

The citizens of Lincoln surely have nothing to fear in placing their trust in these two great believers in the right of every citizen to express his or her own opinion. Mr. Haines and his leader, the Hon. Mr. Nixon, have not only clung tenaciously to their democratic ideal and principles, but they bring you a background of achievements by Liberal Government which merits the endorsement of every voter.

#### ONTARIO LIBERAL GOVERNMENT HAS SAVED MILLIONS FOR LINCOLN COUNTY TAXPAYERS

|   |                |
|---|----------------|
| 1—Hydro-Radial Debenture Savings:                           |                |
| (a) Township of Grantham .....                              | \$ 9,442.77    |
| (b) Township of Louth .....                                 | 41,473.34      |
| (c) Township of Clinton .....                               | 34,872.86      |
| (d) Township of N. Grimsby .....                            | 31,215.69      |
| (e) Town of Grimsby .....                                   | 7,494.86       |
| (f) Village of Beamsville .....                             | 3,788.67       |
| (g) City of St. Catharines .....                            | 45,914.70      |
| Total .....   | \$174,203.98   |
| 2—King's Highway, County and Township Road savings .....    | \$1,262,361.32 |
| 3—Old Age Pensions and Pensions for the Blind Savings ..... | 155,978.00     |
| 4—Mothers' Allowance Savings .....                          | 178,572.00     |
| 5—Indigents in Sanatorium savings .....                     | 92,307.00      |
| 6—Subsidies paid to Municipalities .....                    | 304,397.45     |
| Total Savings to Lincoln County Taxpayers .....             | \$2,167,819.75 |

Every taxpayer in every township, village, town and city in Lincoln County has benefited from the Pay-as-You-Go Policy of the Ontario Liberal Government which has saved the municipalities of the province over \$70,000,000.00 since 1935! This will continue to be the Liberal Policy.

#### FRUIT GROWERS AIDED BY GOVERNMENT LABOUR SUPPLY PLAN

The Ontario Farm Service Force has brought thou-

sands of seasonal farm workers to Lincoln County; established 21 Farmerette Camps; recruited Farm Commandos and generally relieved the labor situation.

#### FRUIT AND VEGETABLE PRICES IMPROVED BY FARM PRODUCTS CONTROL ACT

Liberal Government in Ontario enacted the Farm Products Control Act which provides for cooperative bargaining in the sale of many farm products. Improved prices have resulted for peach, plum, pear, cherry, asparagus, tomato, strawberry and raspberry growers.

#### RURAL HYDRO RATES REDUCED

Liberal Government in Ontario has reduced rural Hydro rates by \$1,250,000.00 per year. It has doubled rural Hydro lines and has bonused them by \$10,400,000.00.

#### ELIMINATION OF GAS TAX REBATE NUISANCE

Gasoline can now be purchased for agricultural use in Ontario without the need to apply for tax rebates.

#### OTHER IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL LEGISLATION

Ontario Liberal Government established bonuses of 50 cents and \$1.00 per head for B-1 and A hog carcasses. It is bonusing the production of cheese, clean wool, Western feed grains and sugar beets. It has reduced interest on farm loans from 5% to 4%; interest on Drainage Loans from 5% to 3%. It has encouraged farm co-operatives including cold storage plants.

#### LIBERALS WILL FOLLOW VIGOROUS AGRICULTURAL POLICY

Such a vigorous agricultural policy will always be the Liberal policy. Farmers of Lincoln County can depend on Archie Haines and the Liberal Government for sound, progressive administration of agricultural affairs.

ISSUED BY LINCOLN LIBERAL ASSOCIATION

## Give HAINES the Reins and Keep NIXON at the Wheel RE-ELECT HAINES (LIBERAL) AUGUST 4th

The five battleships lost by the Royal Navy during the war have been replaced by mighty 35,000 ton battleships. Though over 80 destroyers have been lost in action, more than double this number have been built to replace them. When the war began, Britain had six aircraft carriers. After three years of war, only R.M.S. Furious survived; but when American troops landed in North Africa, there were several Royal Navy carriers present.

The Royal Navy's motto is "Seek and engage and destroy". By June, 1942, 6,178,681 tons of the 11,000,000 tons of Axis merchant shipping had been destroyed, captured or put out of action by the Royal Navy and the R.A.F. In addition, the Royal Navy had sunk 3 Axis (German and Italian) battleships, 15 cruisers, 62 destroyers, and in conjunction with the Royal Canadian and United States Navies, sunk or damaged 550 submarines.

British submarines, alone, have sunk more than 300 enemy supply ships, including many troop ships, and have damaged many more.

From the Forest Commission's forests in Norfolk and Suffolk, England, 15,279,000 linear feet of pitwood, 755,000 cubic feet of caskets, 246,000 cubic feet of hardwood and 6,000,000 linear feet of timber for Army, Air Force and agricultural requirement have been produced since the outbreak of war.

Winter is that bad when a man contracts a cold and keeps one until spring.

#### IF YOU ARE THINKING OF BUILDING A NEW HOME

Consult C. J. DeLaplante. National Housing Act Loans can be arranged. Easy monthly payments, in many cases less than rent. Many plans to choose from or if you wish plans can be drawn to suit your requirements.

If you desire information on a new home as regards financing, materials, designs, contractors, etc.—

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Order your roofing materials now. Asphalt shingles, now available. Arrangements can be made for re-roofing your house.

If you are going to require Storm Sash, don't wait until the fall. If your order is placed now you can be assured of prompt service. See—

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## Jail Terms Given Fruit Thieves

Magistrate Campbell Warns  
That He Will Deal Severely  
With All Pilferers of Fruit.

(St. Catharines Standard)

Although he would have been \$82 to the good if he paid his fine and worked for the next two weeks, Steve Romanchuk, 16, of Port Weller, Monday elected to go to jail for 15 days. Romanchuk pleaded guilty to stealing sweet cherries from the farm of W. C. Nickerson, Niagara Street Highway, on July 9th, and was fined \$13, or 15 days in jail. He said that he draws down \$85 every two weeks working in a St. Catharines war factory.

He told the court that he thought he would give the jail fare "a try" and "would take my punishment."

George Haggerty, 16, also of Port Weller, pleaded guilty to a similar charge, and also took the jail term. He told the court that he makes \$16 a week.

Magistrate J. H. Campbell, in passing sentence, warned that he would deal severely with persons guilty of stealing fruit. He noted that fruit crops in this district are light this year and the farmer needs all his fruit to make a living. He is forced to leave the fruit on the trees longer than usual because of the labor shortage, and thieves who take advantage of his plight will be shown no mercy by the court, he warned. This was the first fruit theft case heard here this year. The charge was preferred by Provincial Constable F. Cooney. (Canadian Army Photo.)



## Over Two Million Voters On Lists

With registered voters' lists at an expected approximate totalling more than 2,350,000 individuals, those of overseas proxy electors, leaders of all parties are urging a record vote in the Ontario General Election, August 4.

In the election of 1934 when Mitchell F. Hepburn and the Liberal party swept the province, the Canadian Press summary indicated a total vote of 1,561,826. The election of 1937 which returned the Liberals to power again brought out 1,571,481 when registration totalled 2,228,090.

In the election of 1929, with 112 seats on the Legislature as compared with the present 90, the total vote was 1,011,880 and in 1926, the total was 1,146,521. In both these elections the Conservative government of Hon. G. Howard Ferguson was returned to power.

Quality counts most — for that rich, satisfying flavour which only a fine quality tea yields, use..

# "SALADA" TEA

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## Western Feed For Lincoln Farmers

Many Lincoln County farmers, looking forward to the winter feeding season, have ordered carloads of feed grain from western Canada through the Department of Agriculture.

This is announced in the weekly reports on crop conditions issued by the Ontario Department of Agriculture on the basis of surveys by its county representatives. The report for Lincoln this week is:

The supply of whole milk for the local milk trade is keeping up exceptionally well. Early hatched pullets are now beginning to lay. The demand for dressed poultry is keen with broilers retailing from 45 to 50 cents a pound on the St. Catharines market. Eggs are firm and are retailing as high as 50 cents for Grade "A" large. There is a continued demand for young pigs at \$15.00 a pair. A great many farmers are putting in orders for carloads of feed grain from the West.

**WHERE TO GET THE INDEPENDENT**  
Copies of The Independent are on sale each week, at five cents per copy in the following local stores:  
James Baker.  
C. H. Rushton  
Millyard's Drug Store.  
Every Thursday morning after 10 o'clock.

### Reward Aids British SCOUTS

Given an award for extinguishing a fire in a cottage at Port Colborne, Ont., five members of the 1st Port Colborne Boy Scout Troop sent the ten dollars to the Chins Up Fund to aid British Scouts who have suffered in the blitz. Up to the present time more than \$37,000 has been sent to British Scouts by the Scouts and Cubs of Canada.

**SCOUT WINS FLYING BOAT**  
Pit. Sgt. Dalrymple Ward, former Boy Scout of Cupar, Sask., has been decorated with the "Flying Boat", an award given to airmen who have to bail out of their planes over enemy territory and who find their way safely back to their own lines. Ward, shot down in Libya, travelled through enemy territory for five days and six nights to return to his base.

**BURN VOID COUPONS**  
Ration coupons which have expired should be burned or otherwise destroyed. It is emphasized by the Ration Administration of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. They should never be turned over to the retailers as they do not represent sales made by him. In the hands of the grocer or butcher, void coupons become expendable for the purchase of replacement stocks, thus upsetting the mechanics of the rationing scheme.

**BIG CLOTH SAVING BY  
CUFFLESS PANTS**  
Elimination of the "rent pleats" trousers has saved many hundreds of thousands of yards of cloth and thus made available many suits which could not otherwise have been manufactured. This news was given to the retail clothing trade by Horace R. Cohen, administrator of fine clothing, W.P.T.B. at a recent meeting in Toronto. He said he believed the changes and eliminations had resulted in the greatest good for the greatest number of men.

Judging from the number of marriages, Cupid is working on more than a 40-hour week.

## THE VOTERS' LIST ACT SOLDIER VOTE ONLY PART III AND PART IV

### THE ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF LINCOLN

TAKE NOTICE that the Sittings of Revising Officers for the Electoral District of Lincoln will be held on the following dates and at the following places for the purpose of considering applications to add the names of Extra-Provincial Active Service Voters and for the consideration of applications from Voters holding appointments as Proxies to be added to the Voters' Lists for the said Electoral District. Appointments as Proxies must be presented for certification by Revising Officer.

| Name of<br>Municipality   | Date and Hour<br>of Sittings                      | Place of<br>Sittings   |
|---|---|--|
| Beamsville<br>North Grimsby<br>Grimsby Town<br>Township of Clinton              | Saturday,<br>July 24th, 1943<br>From 2 to 5 p.m.  | Council Chambers<br>Beamsville, Ont.   |
| Caistor<br>Gainsboro<br>South Grimsby   | Saturday<br>July 24th, 1943<br>From 2 to 5 p.m.   | Fire Hall<br>Smithville, Ont.  |
| Niagara Township<br>Niagara Town<br>St. George's Ward,<br>St. Catharines, Ont.  | Saturday<br>July 24th, 1943<br>From 10 to 12 p.m. | The Sheriff's Office<br>in the Court House<br>St. Catharines, Ont.               |
| Merriton<br>Grantham<br>St. Andrew's Ward,<br>St. Catharines, Ont.              | Saturday<br>July 24th, 1943<br>From 2 to 5 p.m.   | The Crown Attorney's<br>Office, Room 16,<br>Court House,<br>St. Catharines, Ont. |
| Port Dalhousie<br>Louth Township<br>St. Patrick's Ward,<br>St. Catharines, Ont. | Saturday<br>July 24th, 1943<br>From 10 to 12 p.m. | Judge's Chambers<br>Room 12, in the<br>Court House,<br>St. Catharines, Ont.      |

Dated at St. Catharines,  
this 17th day of July, A.D. 1943.

J. G. S. STANBURY,  
Chairman of the Election Board  
for the County of Lincoln.

## Classified Ads. Pay Big Dividends

## With Nixon at the Wheel



## KEEP ONTARIO PROSPEROUS

- Over \$7,000,000 in homes paid to Ontario farmers to encourage the production of pork and cheese.
- In co-operation with the Federal Government a bonus of 4¢ per pound is being paid for clean wool.
- A subsidy of 55¢ per ton to sugar beet growers.
- A subsidy on Western grains fed in the province.
- Marketing legislation has enabled fruit and vegetable growers to get higher prices for their produce.
- The Liberal Government in Ontario reduced interest rates on farm loans from 5% to 4%.
- Provides loans on flax and other farm co-operatives including cold storage plants.
- Re-opened Demonstration Farms at New Liskeard and Hearst.
- Instituted County Agricultural War Committees.
- Reduced interest rates on Drainage Loans from 5% to 3%.
- Dispensed with collection of tax on gas for tractor use.
- Doubled rural Hydro lines.
- Reduced rural Hydro rates by \$1,250,000 per year and bonus rural Hydro lines by \$10,400,000.

## ON AUGUST 4th

To ensure postwar progress  
for our community and your  
own prosperity

**ELECT THE LIBERAL CANDIDATE  
A. J. HAINES FOR LINCOLN**

## NOTICE TO LANDLORDS

Whenever you make a new lease, or renew a lease, whether in writing or an oral agreement, involving a change of tenant, a change in rental, or a change in the services or accommodation to be supplied.

You are required, at the same time, by Order No. 108 of The Wartime Prices and Trade Board, to give the tenant a signed statement, using a printed form (R.C. 40) supplied by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. This statement must show the maximum rental for the accommodation concerned, and other information prescribed.

You are also required, within ten days, to forward a signed copy of this statement to the nearest Regional Rentals Administration Office.

Penalties are provided for failure to comply with this Order.

These forms are available at all offices of The Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

Rentals Administration

THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD